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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated February 22, 2005, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.

A copy of International Standard ISO 13479 is attached at the end of this paper.